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FOR GEORGE THIGPEN

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SUBJECT:ECE TIMBER COMMITTEE WORKING GROUP ON EC STRESS
GRADING STANDARD

REF: STATE 301219

PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING LETTER, AN ADDITION TO
LETTER CONTAINED IN REFTL, TO MR. WILLIAM TOWNSLEY
AT THE ADDRESS BELOW ASAP. TRANSMIT ON PLAIN PAPER, NO
LETTERHEAD.

MR. WILLIAM C. TOWNSLEY, DIRECTOR-OPERATIONS, U.K. AND
EUROPE, COFI, TEMPLAR HOUSE, 81, HIGH HOLBORN, LONDON
W.C. IV6LS

DEAR BILL: IN OUR LETTER OF DECEMBER 10, 1976, WE MADE
PROPOSALS FOR CHANGES IN ONE GRADE OF THE PROPOSED ECE
STANDARD FOR SAWN SOFTWOOD LUMBER. AS YOU ARE AWARE, THE
ECE STANDARD DOES NOT INCLUDE PROVISIONS FOR SIZE, NOR
PROVISIONS FOR MOISTURE CONTENT LIMITATION, NOR
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PROVISION FOR CERTIFICATION PROCEDURES AND DOES NOT

PROVIDE GRADES TO COVER THE FULL PRODUCT OF THE LOG.
BECAUSE OF THESE REASONS AND OTHERS, THE ECE STANDARD
THOUGH IT MAY BE SATISFACTORY FOR USE IN EUROPE, WOULD
NOT BE APPROPRIATE FOR USE IN THE UNITED STATES.
SINCERELY, THOMAS D. SEARLES, SECRETARY-MANAGER KISSINGER

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